GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE MAYOR



Office of the General Counsel to the Mayor

May 30, 2007

VIA U.S. MAIL



Re: Freedom of Information Act Appeal

Dear

This letter responds to your administrative appeal to the Mayor under the District of Columbia Freedom of Information Act (the "FOIA"), D.C. Official Code § 2-531 et seq. (2001 & 2006 Supp.), dated May 22, 2007, and received in this office on May 29, 2007 (the "Appeal").

In an initial request to the Office of Professional Responsibility of the Metropolitan Police Department of the District of Columbia ("MPD") dated March 22, 2007, you sought documents relating to Complaint 01-104 filed with MPD's Office of Professional Responsibility. MPD initially denied your request in a letter, date-stamped April 30, 2007, stating that disclosure of the requested information would be an unwarranted invasion of privacy of the employees involved.

We forwarded the Appeal to MPD with a request for a response. MPD replied by letter, dated May 29, 2007 (the "MPD Response"). The MPD Response indicates that MPD has reversed its decision. MPD has identified responsive documents and is making them available to you. Accordingly, unless we hear from you to the contrary by June 6, 2007, we will deem the MPD Response responsive to your FOIA request and your Appeal will be deemed moot and DISMISSED effective as of that date.

You are free to commence in a civil action against the District of Columbia government in D.C. Superior Court if the MPD Response is not responsive to your request.

Regards,

Andrew T. "Chip" Richardson, III Deputy General Counsel to the Mayor

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